

REMARKS

The Final Office Action dated October 17, 2008 has been carefully considered. Claims 13, 14, and 16-21 have been amended. Claims 1-12 and 15 have been canceled. Claims 13, 14 and 16-22 are in this application.

Claims 13 and 14 were objected to as being dependent upon a rejected base claim but would be allowable if rewritten in independent form. Claim 13 has been rewritten in independent form. Claim 14 depends from claim 13. Accordingly, claims 13 and 14 are believed to be allowable. Claims 16-22 depend from claim 13 and are therefore believed to be allowable.

In view of the foregoing, Applicants submit that all pending claims are in condition for allowance and request that all claims be allowed. The Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned should she believe that this would expedite prosecution of this application. It is believed that no fee is required. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-2165.

Respectfully submitted,

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